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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	dress of Reporting F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [ EXP ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u> IIKSCH I</u>	AURENCE	2		X Director 10% Owner					
	(First) E CREEK BLVI	(Middle) D.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2011	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
#250			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)				X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
DALLAS	TX	75219		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benenciary Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and Code (Instr. 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130. 4)
Restricted Common Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	01/21/2011		A		38.0933	A	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	10,787.9976	D	
Common Stock								5,173	I	By 2006 Hirsch Family Partnership No. 1, Ltd. (2)
Common Stock								5,173	I	By 2006 Hirsch Family Partnership No. 2, Ltd.
Common Stock								662,617 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								845,546	I	By Highlander Partners, L.P.

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title c Derivati Security (Instr. 3)	e Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. The grant reported above represents Restricted Common Stock Units ("RSUs") accrued in connection with a cash dividend paid by Issuer on its Common Stock and as a result of certain dividend equivalent rights associated with the reporting person's existing RSUs.

2. Represents previously made separate gifts of limited partnership interests in 2006 Hirsch Family Partnership No. 1, Ltd. and 2006 Hirsch Family Partnership No. 2, Ltd. to two family trusts, the beneficiaries of which are children of the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the Common Stock held by these family partnerships except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. 3. Excludes an aggregate of 10,346 shares previously owned directly by the reporting person which were contributed to the family limited partnerships referred to in footnote (2) above on January 31, 2007.

#### /s/ Scott M. Wilson as

Attorney-in-Fact for Laurence 01/25/2011 E. Hirsch

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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